ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION DIVISION OF PROFESSIONAL REGULATION

Meeting: BOARD OF NURSING

Meeting Date:

Meeting Convened:

Meeting Adjourned:

Meeting Locations: Video Conference

July 10, 2020

9:00 a.m.

12:10 p.m.

WebEx

Members Present: Helen Catherine Miller, Chairperson

Charity Cooper, Vice-Chairperson

Amanda Cuca, Member
Gabriel Campos, Member
Stacy J.B. Gordon, Member
Laurie Mason-Round, Member
Carmella Mikol, Member
James Pedraza, Member
Cassie Pistole, Member

Board Members Absent: Mischelle Monagle, Member

Deborah L. Morris, Member

Staff Present: Jerry R. Miller, Board Liaison

Michele Bromberg, Nursing Coordinator Reid Paxson, Administrative Assistant Priscilla Chapman, General Counsel

Amendment to Agenda: Under: <u>New Business</u> Add: Election of Officers

The Board Members present constituted a quorum of the board.

| TOPIC | DISCUSSION | ACTION |
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| ANNOUNCEMENTS/ CORRESPONDENCE | | N/A |
| OLD BUSINESS | | |
| Approval of Minutes - May 8, 2020 | Jerry Miller, Board Liaison stated that the minutes were not available for review. | This item is being tabled for the next scheduled meeting. |
| NEW BUSINESS | | |
| Election of Officers | An election was held to fill the positions of chairperson and vice-chairperson. | Motion was made and seconded to elected Charity Cooper as Chairperson and Amanda Cuca as Vice-Chairperson. |

| NEW BUSINESS – Cont. | | Motion Carried. |
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| | The Board also thanked Helen Catherine Miller, for her service as Chairperson. | Mouon Carned. |
| NATIONAL COUNCIL OF STATE BOARD OF NURSING | Michele Bromberg, Nursing Coordinator stated the NCSBN Annual meeting will be held by Webinar on August 12, 2020 from 1-5 p.m. | N/A |
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| LEGISLATIVE UPDATE | Pricilla Chapman, General Counsel stated the following: - The rules should be on | N/A |
| | second notice in the next couple of months. | |
| | - Tele Nursing is going to be an issue in the Veto Session. | |
| | The board also went into discussion in great length relative to if Illinois became a Compact State. | N/A |
| NURSING EDUCATION | Sampaco Sauce. | The recommendations were delineated on the Action Sheets. |
| Illinois College - Feasibility Study & Curriculum Approval (BSN) | | Approved Action Sheet No. 200583 |
| Southwestern Illinois College - Feasibility Study & Curriculum Approval (LPN) | | Approved Action Sheet No. 200584 |
| University of Wisconsin - Oshkosh - Out-of-State Education Seeking Student Nursing Clinical Placement | | Approved Action Sheet No. 200585 |
| Continued Program Approval – Remediation Strategies for Low Pass Rates | | |
| Aquarius Institute John Wood Community College Rend Lake | Representatives from the programs were available via WebEx to discuss strategies to increase low NCLEX pass rates. | Programs will be revisited later for assessment of future pass rates. |

| APPLICATION REVIEW | | The recommendation was |
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| | | delineated on the Action Sheet. |
| Continuing Education Sponsors | - Crossroads Community Hospital | Approved Action Sheet No. 200586 |
| | - Delaney Delaney & Voorn, Ltd | Approved Action Sheet No. 200587 |
| | - Forum Extended Care Services | Approved Action Sheet No. 200588 |
| | - Peck Ritchey, LLC | Deferred Action Sheet No. 200589 |
| CLOSED SESSION | | |
| Deliberations/Regulatory 11:33 a.m. – 12:05 p.m. | A roll call vote was taken to go into closed session to discuss deliberation/regulatory cases: | |
| | Helen Catherine Miller - Aye Charity Cooper - Aye Amanda Cuca - Aye Gabriel Campos - Aye Stacy J.B. Gordon – Aye Laurie Mason-Round -Aye Carmella Mikol - Aye James Pedraza - Aye Cassie Pistole - Aye | |
| RECONVENED - OPEN SESSION | | |
| 11:04 a.m. | | The recommendations for the cases were made in open session and referred to the appropriate attorney(s) for follow-up. Each individual recommendation is listed below: |
| Marina Driza | 18-10839-1 | Gallo |

Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension. Upon filing a Petition for Restoration, Respondent must provide a substance abuse assessment performed by a licensed physician who is certified as an addictionist or an advanced practice registered nurse with specialty certification in addictions and meet the recommendations of the assessment. If Respondent remains out of practice for five (5) years, Respondent must present evidence of successful competition of a Department-approved licensure examination (NCLEX).

| Robin Mathews | 17-06465-1 | Gallo | | | |
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| Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension | | | | | |
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| Brittney Nyabuto | 18-10653-1 | Meehan | | | |
| Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension | | | | | |
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| Shelly Ragsdale | 19-10560-1 | Meehan | | | |
| Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension | | | | | |
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| Angela Ramirez | 18-11034-1 | Meehan | | | |
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| Jennifer Roberts | 19-07444-1 | Meehan | | | |
| Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension | | | | | |
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| David Simon | 19-04109-1 | Bentley/Menich | | | |
| Recommendation: Indefinite Suspension | | | | | |
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| ADJOURNMENT | | There being no further | | | |
| - | | business for the board; the | | | |
| | | board adjourned at 12:10 p.m. | | | |